

I would like to request that you act in service of the public good by enforcing sanctions on media corporations who misuse their legal and moral responsibility to the public. It is a misuse of publicly owned airwaves to trump local programming to blatantly promote a partisan agenda. Renewal of licenses must be contingent on broadcasters' compliance with their legal obligation to serve the public good.

Furthermore, I would urge you to reverse the rules that allow for media consolidation, since the potential for abuse grows as corporations become larger and less responsive to their local constituencies.

In particular, I would like to bring to your attention Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election.